### **EXHIBIT B**

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September 21, 2018

via Federal Express (773298930176)

Mr. Timothy Coward Bureau of Land Management Tonopah Field Office P.O. Box 911 (1553 South Main Street) Tonopah, Nevada 89049-0911

RE: Paradigm Minerals USA Corp., Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project – New Notice, Esmeralda County, Nevada

Dear Mr. Coward:

On behalf of Paradigm Minerals USA, Corp. (PMU), EM Strategies, Inc. (EM Strategies) is submitting a full replacement to the Notice for exploration activities planned at the Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project (Project) originally submitted on August 28, 2018. The Notice has been revised to adjust locations of planned surface disturbance in order to avoid impacting cultural resources. Emily Whorton, EM Strategies' Cultural Program Manager, will be in touch with the Bureau of Land Management Tonopah Field Office Archaeologist regarding required monitoring during Notice activities. Please provide EM Strategies with a courtesy copy of all correspondence for the Project. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact our office at (775) 753-9496.

Sincerely,

EM Strategies, Inc.

Kaitlin C. Sweet Elko Manager

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Matt Weaver - PMU (w/enclosure via email: mweaver@globalgeo.com.au)

### Notice

### Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project

September 21, 2018

Paradigm Minerals USA Corp. (PMU) intends to conduct exploration activities at the Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project (Project) located in Sections 19, 20, 28, 29, and 32, Township 1 South, Range 37 East (T1S, R37E), Mount Diablo Base and Meridian in Esmeralda County, Nevada (Project Area). PMU plans to drill bore holes, drill and install a ground water monitoring/piezometer well, and conduct test pit excavations, accessed by existing roads and planned overland travel routes. The locations of planned exploration activities are shown on Figure 1, Appendix 1. Planned surface disturbance under the Notice totals **3.96 acres**. PMU files this Notice pursuant to the provisions of 43 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 3809.300.

1. <u>Name of Operator</u>: Paradigm Minerals USA Corp.

Name of Corporate Contact: Matt Weaver, Senior Vice President

Mailing Address: Paradigm Minerals USA Corp.

241 Ridge Street, Suite 210

Reno, Nevada 89501

Tax Identification Number: 98-0594815

Owners of Mining Claims: Paradigm Minerals Arizona Corp

241 Ridge Street, Suite 210

Reno, Nevada 89501

2. <u>Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Serial Numbers and Names of Claims on Which Disturbance will Occur:</u>

Claim Name	NMC#
SLM 15	NMC1171550
SLM 17	NMC1171552
SLM 19	NMC1171554
SLM 28	NMC1171563
SLM 30	NMC1171565
SLM 32	NMC1171567
SLM 34	NMC1171569
SLM 53	NMC1171588
SLM 55	NMC1171590
SLM 57	NMC1171592
SLM 58	NMC1171593
SLM 60	NMC1171595
SLM 62	NMC1171597

Claim Name	NMC#
SLM 64	NMC1171599
SLM 69	NMC1171604
SLM 7	NMC1171542
SLM 74	NMC1171609
SLM 87	NMC1171622
SLM 88	NMC1171623
SLM 89	NMC1171624
SLM 90	NMC1171625
SLM 91	NMC1171626
SLM 92	NMC1171627
SLM 93	NMC1171628
SLM 94	NMC1171629

- 3. <u>Location of Proposed Activities</u>: The Project is located approximately 40 air miles west-southwest from Tonopah (Figure 1) and can be reached from Tonopah by traveling west 34 miles on United States Highway 6, then turning south onto State Highway 265 and traveling 21 miles, just past the town of Silver Peak. Turn west onto Coyote Road and travel another 17 miles until reaching the Project Area. The Project Area is located on the Rhyolite Ridge SW 7 ½ minute United States Geological Survey (USGS) Quadrangle map. The location is shown on Figure 1, Appendix 1.
- 4. <u>Existing Disturbance in the Project Area:</u> There are several existing tracks and trails located within the Project Area, as shown on Figure 1.
- 5. Project Description: PMU plans to conduct exploration drilling at the Project from up to 11 constructed drill sites, one ground water monitoring/piezometer well site, and 24 test pit excavations accessed via existing roads and planned overland travel routes. Drill sites (including the well site) will be constructed with an average working area of 100 feet long by 50 feet wide. Sumps approximately 20 feet long by ten feet wide by 6.75 feet deep will be excavated within site disturbance to collect drill cuttings and manage fluids. Only two of the 11 planned boring locations and the ground water monitoring/ piezometer well are anticipated to require the use of sumps. The ground water monitoring well will be completed with four-inch diameter steel casing up to 360 feet deep. The test pits will be excavated within working areas with the dimensions of 30 feet long by 30 feet wide. The test pits will be excavated with the approximate dimensions of 20 feet long by three feet wide and up to ten feet deep. Approximately 15,100 linear feet of overland travel routes will be utilized with an approximate disturbance width of six feet (undisturbed ground between the tracks not included). PMU has justified that the overland travel width of six feet is practical as the geotechnical explorations (test pits and non-well boreholes) will only be accessed once and will be backfilled and abandoned immediately upon completion. PMU's planned exploration activities are shown on Figure 1.

The planned well will be drilled to a depth of 360 feet using a reverse-circulation (RC) rig. The geotechnical holes will be completed with a rotary drill to a maximum depth of 100 feet. Hollow-stem augers will be used to advance the boring through overburden and diamond core drilling will be used to advance the borings in rock. Water for the Project will be obtained by a private contractor. The drill crew and geologists will use 4-wheel drive vehicles to access the site. Support vehicles and equipment for the exploration drilling activities include pick-up trucks, pipe trucks, and water trucks.

The depth to the water table in the areas of proposed drilling is unknown; however, for the bond calculation assumptions, 100 feet below ground surface is assumed for reclamation and hole abandonment estimations.

6. <u>Approximate Surface Disturbance</u>: The following specifics apply to the Project:

### **Planned Surface Disturbance**

• Twenty-four test pit excavation areas with the approximate dimensions of 30 feet long by 30 feet wide = **0.50 acre**;

- Twelve drill sites (including the well site) constructed with the approximate dimensions of 100 feet long by 50 feet wide = **1.38 acres**; and
- Approximately 15,100 linear feet of overland travel routes with a running width (disturbance of two tracks) of six feet = **2.08 acres.**

### **Total Planned Surface Disturbance = 3.96 acres.**

- 7. <u>Schedule of Activities</u>: PMU anticipates that Project activities will commence in September 2018. Reclamation activities will likely be completed in the Summer of 2020; however, revegetation activities are limited by the time of year during which they can be effectively implemented. Site conditions or yearly climatic variations may require that this schedule be modified to achieve revegetation success. Once a site or road is no longer needed for exploration, the site will be reclaimed.
- 8. <u>Measures Taken to Prevent Unnecessary or Undue Degradation</u>: Operations will be conducted consistent with 43 CFR 3809.415 and 3809.420.
  - Existing access routes and overland travel routes will be used.
  - Only nontoxic fluids will be used in the drilling process.
  - PMU will not knowingly disturb, alter, injure, or destroy any scientifically important
    paleontological deposits; or any historical or archaeological site, structure, building,
    or object. If PMU discovers any cultural or paleontological resource that might be
    altered or destroyed by operations, the discovery will be left intact and reported to the
    authorized BLM officer.
  - Any survey monuments, witness corners, or reference monuments will be protected to the extent economically and technically feasible.
  - Public safety will be maintained throughout the life of the Project. All equipment will be maintained in a safe and orderly manner.
  - All solid wastes will be removed from the Project Area and disposed of in a state, federal, or local designated site.
  - Hazardous substances utilized at the Project will include diesel fuel, gasoline, and lubricating grease. Approximately 100 gallons of diesel fuel and gasoline will be stored in fuel delivery systems on the drill rig and support vehicles. Approximately 50 pounds of lubricating grease will be stored on the drill rig or transported by drill trucks. In the event that hazardous or regulated materials were spilled, measures will be taken to control the spill and the BLM and the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) will be notified as required. Any hazardous substance spills will be cleaned immediately and any resulting waste will be transferred off site in accordance with all applicable local, state, and federal regulations. Contract drillers will maintain spill kits on site for use in case of a spill.

- PMU will comply with all applicable state and federal fire laws and regulations and all reasonable measures will be taken to prevent and suppress fires in the Project Area.
- Best Management Practices (BMPs) for sediment control will be utilized during construction, operation, and reclamation to minimize sedimentation from disturbed areas. Sumps could include, but not be limited to, fabric or certified weed-free straw bale filter fences, siltation or filter berms, and downgradient drainage channels in order to prevent unnecessary or undue degradation to the environment.
- All drill holes will be abandoned in accordance with the State of Nevada Regulations for Water Well and Related Drilling (Nevada Administrative Code [NAC]/Nevada Revised Statutes [NRS] Chapter 534), specifically per NAC 534.4371.
- All reasonable steps will be taken to minimize the introduction of noxious weeds and to limit the spread of any existing infestations.
- 9. Reclamation: Reclamation will be completed to the standards described in 43 CFR 3809.420. Exploration drill sites will be regraded to the natural contour and slope of the surrounding topography and to the pre-Project condition. All spoil piles from sediment trap construction will be stockpiled at drill site locations and recontoured at such time as the drill site will no longer be used. Test pit excavations will be backfilled once the samples are collected. All earthwork will be completed with a Caterpillar Backhoe, or equivalent equipment. Overland travel will be ripped and seeded. Reclamation of the piezometer/ground water monitoring well will be cutting the casing to ground surface, plugging the drill hole with cement, and reclaiming the typical-sized drill pad and sump. The regraded and/or ripped areas will then be seeded with a BLMapproved seed mix, at the appropriate time of year for optimum seed sprouting and plant growth. The seeding will be completed with a manual broadcaster and raked. The reclaimed surfaces will be left in a textured or rough condition (small humps, pits, etc.). The broadcast seed application rate will vary based on the shrub, forb, and grass species selected. Native seed will be used when available. Only certified weed-free seed will be used for reclamation seeding. Post-reclamation maintenance will consist of remedial dirt work and reseeding, if required.

Site monitoring for stability and revegetation success will be conducted on an annual basis, during the spring or fall, or until attainment of the revegetation standards established in the *Nevada Guidelines for Successful Revegetation for the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, the Bureau of Land Management, and the USDA Forest Service* (Instruction Memorandum #NV 99-013).

10. <u>Reclamation Cost Estimate</u>: The reclamation cost estimate (Appendix 2), as required by 43 CFR 3809.552, is attached to this Notice. The Standardized Reclamation Cost Estimator, Version 1.4.1, Build 017b including 2018 cost data, with the 2018 Mobilization/Demobilization worksheet was used to estimate reclamation costs for the Project.

The following assumptions have been made in calculating the reclamation cost estimate:

- Twelve constructed drill sites approximately at 100 feet long by 50 feet wide will be recontoured, ripped, and seeded.
- Twenty-four test pits with the approximate excavation dimensions of 20 feet long by three feet wide and 20 feet deep (maximum) will be backfilled. The larger test pit working areas with the approximate dimensions of 30 feet long by 30 feet wide will be recontoured and seeded.
- Abandonment of one ground water monitoring well with a casing diameter of four inches and average depth of 360 feet.
- Approximately 15,100 linear feet of overland travel routes with a running width (disturbance of two tracks only) of six feet will be ripped and seeded.
- A Caterpillar Backhoe, or equivalent equipment, will be used for all reclamation earthwork including recontouring and scarifying sumps. The disturbed area will be seeded by a manual broadcast method and raked.
- The total estimated reclamation cost for the total planned disturbance contained in this Notice is \$33,203.00.

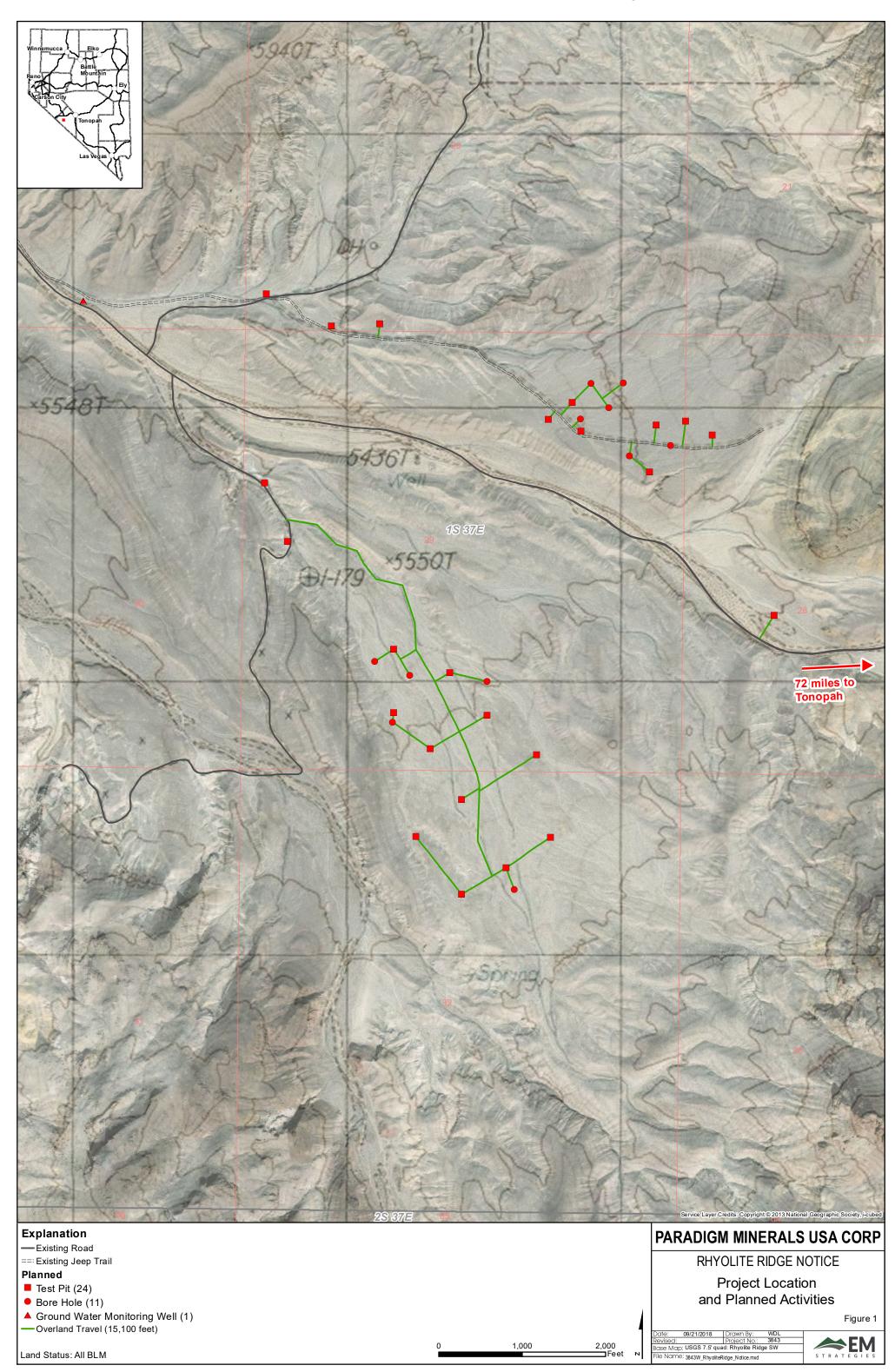
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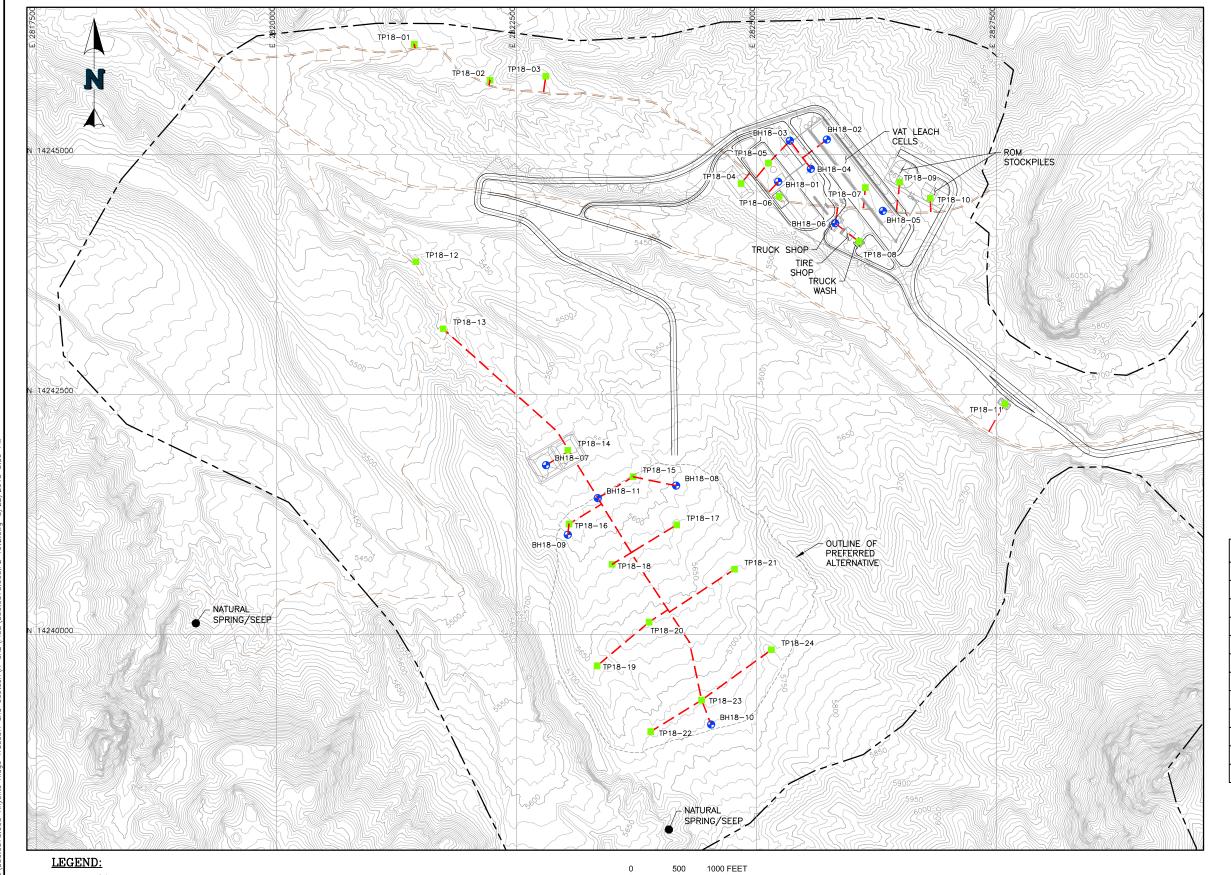
Paradigm Minerals USA Corp.

By Mari

Date September 21, 2018

## Appendix 1 Figure and Drill Site/Test Pit/Trenching Schematic





PROPOS	SED TEST PIT	LOCATIONS
POINT	NORTHING	EASTING
TP18-01	14,246,148.11	2,821,436.90
TP18-02	14,245,773.18	2,822,227.23
TP18-03	14,245,815.36	2,822,806.50
TP18-04	14,244,697.15	2,824,840.55
TP18-05	14,244,909.94	2,825,125.54
TP18-06	14,244,564.12	2,825,237.14
TP18-07	14,244,655.25	2,826,135.40
TP18-08	14,244,092.02	2,826,069.45
TP18-09	14,244,710.48	2,826,492.49
TP18-10	14,244,545.12	2,826,811.94
TP18-11	14,242,400.94	2,827,588.96
TP18-12	14,243,882.75	2,821,452.59
TP18-13	14,243,184.06	2,821,738.74
TP18-14	14,241,919.30	2,823,035.70
TP18-15	14,241,642.89	2,823,715.68
TP18-16	14,241,151.94	2,823,049.10
TP18-17	14,241,141.90	2,824,170.92
TP18-18	14,240,730.37	2,823,497.69
TP18-19	14,239,673.47	2,823,341.12
TP18-20	14,240,128.39	2,823,882.80
TP18-21	14,240,678.90	2,824,772.85
TP18-22	14,238,988.20	2,823,900.08
TP18-23	14,239,316.44	2,824,430.24
TP18-24	14,239,840.47	2,825,156.32

PROP	PROPOSED BOREHOLE LOCATIONS										
POINT	NORTHING	EASTING	DEPTH								
BH18-01	14,244,715.42	2,825,228.66	25.00								
BH18-02	14,245,154.87	2,825,735.34	40.00								
BH18-03	14,245,142.47	2,825,350.46	40.00								
BH18-04	14,244,850.44	2,825,568.87	25.00								
BH18-05	14,244,410.98	2,826,317.99	40.00								
BH18-06	14,244,283.11	2,825,821.49	40.00								
BH18-07	14,241,764.00	2,822,810.11	40.00								
BH18-08	14,241,549.57	2,824,164.93	40.00								
BH18-09	14,241,038.18	2,823,036.42	40.00								
BH18-10	14,239,061.97	2,824,529.15	100.00								
BH18-11	14,241,419.24	2,823,348.44	100.00								



EXISTING GROUND CONTOURS

EXISTING ROADS/TRAILS

PROJECT BOUNDARY

GEOTECHNICAL SITE ACCESS ROAD

REFERENCE: SPCS NVW USft NAD83

DESCRIPTION OF DISTURBANCE DIMENSION OF DISTURBANCE PUBLIC LAND (ACRES)

GEOTECHNICAL TEST PITS (24) 30 FEET BY 30 FEET 0.50

GEOTECHNICAL BORE HOLES (11) 40 FEET BY 100 FEET 1.01

GEOTECHNICAL SITE ACCESS ROADS 6 FEET WIDE BY 14,000 FEET 1.93

TOTAL 3.44

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RYHOLITE RIDGE MINE TRADE-OFF STUDY

GEOTECHNICAL INVESTIGATION

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### Appendix 2 Reclamation Cost Estimate

Closure Cost Estimate Property Information

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### STANDARDIZED RECLAMATION COST ESTIMATOR

Version 1.4.1 Build 017b (revised to work with Excel 2016 - 24 Oct 2016)

Approved for use in Nevada, August 1, 2012

COST DATA FILE INFORMATION	ON CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY
File Name:	3843I.Rhyolite Ridge Notice.RCE.V2.xlsm
Cost Data File:	SRCE_Cost_Data_File_1_12_Std_2018.xlsm
Cost Data Date:	August 1, 2018
Cost Data Basis:	User Data Cost Units: Imperial
Author/Source:	Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) & NV BLM
PROJECT INFORMATION	
Property/Mine Name:	Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project Property Code:
Project Name:	Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project
Date of Submittal:	September 2018 Average Altitude: 5000 ft.
Select One:	Notice or Sm Exploration Plan     Lg Exploration Plan     Mine Operation
Select One:	Private Land     Public or Public/Private
Cost Estimate Type:	Surety
Cost Basis Category:	S. Nevada Notice Level
	Clark, Esmeralda, Lincoln and Nye Counties
Cost Basis Description:	

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Project Date: September 2018
Model Version: Version 1.4.1
File Name: 3843I.Rhyolite Ridge Notice.RCE.V2.xlsm

A. Earthwork/Recontouring Exploration	Labor (1) \$2,218	Equipment (2) \$2,973	Materials \$12	<b>Total</b> \$5,203
Exploration Roads & Drill Pads	\$1,248	\$1,932	\$0	\$3,180
Roads Well Abandonment	\$0 \$383	\$0 \$132	\$0 \$3	\$0 \$518
Pits	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0
Quarries & Borrow Areas Underground Openings	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
Process Ponds	\$0	\$0 \$0	\$0	\$0
Heaps Waste Rock Dumps	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0
Landfills	\$0	\$0 \$0	\$0	\$0 \$0
Tailings	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Foundation & Buildings Areas  Yards, Etc.	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$C \$C
Drainage & Sediment Control	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Generic Material Hauling Other User Costs (from Other User sheet)	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
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Subtotal	\$3,849	\$5,037	\$15	\$8,901
Mob/Demob if included in Other User sheet	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Mob/Demob	\$5,454	\$5,454		\$10,908
Subtotal "A"	\$9,303	\$10,491	\$15	\$19,809
B. Revegetation/Stabilization	Labor (1)	Equipment (2)	Materials	Total
Exploration	\$100	\$38	\$73	\$211
Exploration Roads & Drill Pads	\$468	\$178	\$1,547	\$2,193
Roads Well Abandonment	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0 N/A
Pits	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Quarries & Borrow Areas Underground Openings	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0 N/A
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Waste Rock Dumps Landfills	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
Tailings	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Foundation & Buildings Areas  Yards, Etc.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Yards, Etc. Drainage & Sediment Control	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
Generic Material Hauling	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other User Costs (from Other User sheet) Other**	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0 \$0
Subtotal "B"	\$568	\$216	\$1,620	\$2,404
C. Detoxification/Water Treatment/Disposal of Wastes**	Labor (1)	- (2)	Materials	Total
Process Ponds/Sludge	Labor (1)	Equipment (2)	Waterials	TOTAL \$0
Heaps				\$0
Dumps (Waste & Landfill) Tailings				\$0
Surplus Water Disposal				\$0 \$0
Monitoring				\$0
Miscellaneous Solid Waste - On Site	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0 \$0
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<sup>\*\*</sup> Other Operator supplied costs - additional documentation required.

**Cost Summary** 

Project Name: Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project Project Date: September 2018 Model Version: Version 1.4.1 File Name: 3843I.Rhyolite Ridge Notice.RCE.V2.xlsm

ndirect Costs				Include?	Total
1. Engineering, Design and Construction (ED&C) Plan (7)					N/A
2. Contingency (8)					N/A
3. Insurance (9)		\$210			\$210
4. Performance Bond (10)					N/A
Contractor Profit (11)					\$2,702
Contract Administration (12)					\$2,702
7. Government Indirect Cost (13)					\$567
Subtotal Add-On Costs					\$6,181
Total Indirect Costs as % of Direct Cost					23%
					\$33,203
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### RECLAMATION COST ESTIMATION SUMMARY SHEET FOOTNOTES

- Federal construction contracts require Davis-Bacon wage rates for contracts over \$2,000. Wage rate estimates may include base pay, payroll loading, The reclamation cost estimate must include the estimated plugging cost of at least one drill hole for each active drill rig in the project area. Where the

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   Miscellaneous items should be itemized on accompanying worksheets.
   Fluid management should be calculated only when mineral processing activities are involved. Fluid management represents the costs of maintaining
   Handling of hazardous materials includes the cost of decontaminating, neutralizing, disposing, treating and/or isolating all hazardous materials used,
   Any mitigation measures required in the Plan of Operations must be included in the reclamation cost estimate. Mitigation may include measures to avoid,
   Engineering, design and construction (ED&C) plans are often necessary to provide details on the reclamation needed to contract for the required work. To
   A contingency cost is included in the reclamation cost estimation to cover unforeseen cost elements. Calculate the contingency cost as a percentage of the

- A contingency costs included in the techniquency costs are presented by the contract administration costs. Enter the premium amount if liability insurance is not included in the itemized unit
   Federal construction contracts exceeding \$100,000 require both a performance and a payment bond (Miller Act, 40 USC 270et seq.). Each bond premium
   For Federal construction contracts, use 10% of estimated O&M cost for the contractor's profit.
   To estimate the contract administration cost, use 6 to 10% of the operational and maintenance (O&M) cost. Calculate the contract administration cost as a
   Government indirect cost rate is 21% of the contract administration costs.

Closure Cost Estimate Exploration

Project Name: Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project- Notice or Exploration

Date of Submittal: September 2018

File Name: 3843I.Rhyolite Ridge Notice.RCE.V2.xlsm

Model Version: Version 1.4.1

Cost Data: User Data

Cost Data File: SRCE\_Cost\_Data\_File\_1\_12\_Std\_2018.xlsm
Cost Estimate Type: Surety
Cost Basis: S. Nevada Notice Level

Exploration - Cost Summary											
	Labor	Equipment	Materials	Totals							
Hole Abandonment Costs	\$383	\$132	\$12	\$527							
Trench Backfilling Costs	\$1,835	\$2,841		\$4,676							
Subtotal Earthworks	\$2,218	\$2,973	\$12	\$5,203							
Trench Revegetation Costs	\$100	\$38	\$73	\$211							
TOTALS	\$2,318	\$3,011	\$85	\$5,414							

Exp	Exploration Drillhole Abandonment - User Input											
Facility Description			Hole Plugging									
	Description (required)	ID Code	Hole Type (select)	<b>Diameter</b> in	Total Number of Holes	Max Holes Open at One Time	Casing to Remove ft	Average Depth of Hole <sup>(1)</sup> ft bgs	Depth to Water ft bgs	Hole Plug Method (select)		
1	Shallow Borehole Drilling		Rotary	8.0	11.0	1.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	Grout + Backfill		

### Notes:

- 1. If core holes are pre-drilled, use length of hole below pre-drilled length
- 2. If Top Plug is selected, assumes maximum 1/2hr laborer time to place plug and backfill with cuttings/soil (including move-to/set up time).

Geotechnical boreholes will be drilled to a maximum depth of 100 feet; therefore, 100 feet is included to maintain a conservative abandonment estimate.

E	Exploration Trenches - User Input											
Facility Description			Ti	ench Parame	ters		Backfill				Revegetation	
	Description (required) ID	Trer Code Len	ench Trench ngth Depth ft ft	Trench Bottom Width ft	Trench Sideslope Angle degrees	Additional Hrs for Walk-in (1) hr	Backfill Material (select)	Cut Material Type (select)	Backfilling Fleet (select)	Seed Mix (select)	Mulch (select)	Fertilizer (select)
	1 Test Pit Excavations (24) 20-foot long trenches	48	180 20.0	3.0	85.0	1.0	1	Alluvium	Small Dozer	Mix 3	None	None

### Notes:

- Include one-way hours necessary to walk equipment in from drop-off point to work area
- 2. Material Types are used for density correction based on material densities in Caterpillar Performance Handbook material density table

Trench length = 24\* 20 feet

Trenches will have a maximum depth of 20 feet.

Exp	Exploration Drillhole Abandonment													
	Description (required)	Vol/foot of depth ft3	Hole Plugging Material <sup>(1)</sup>	Total Grout Volume <sup>(2)</sup> cy	Total Cuttings Volume cy	Total Top Seal Volume (3,4) Cy	Total Drillhole Abandon. Hours <sup>(6,7)</sup> hrs	Casing Removal Labor Cost <sup>(5)</sup>	Casing Removal Equipment Cost \$	Plugging Labor Cost \$	Plugging Equipment Cost \$	Plugging Material Cost \$	Top Seal Material Cost <sup>(2,3)</sup>	Total Cost <sup>(6,7)</sup>
1	Shallow Borehole Drilling	0.350	Cuttings	0.00	0.39	0.32	3	\$0	\$0	\$383	\$132	\$0	\$12	\$527
					0.39	0.32	3	\$0	\$0	\$383	\$132	\$0	\$12	\$527

### Notes:

- 1. Assumes grout backfill from bottom of hole to 50' (15.24m) above static water level, up to 10' (3m) from top of hole
- Assumes 25% loss to formation for grout backfill
- 3. If "Top Plug" hole plug method is used, assumes physical plug installed without backfill, grout or cement. Not available option for Nevada projects
- 4. Assumes top 20' (6 m) of hole is plugged with cement if "Grout Only", "Backlill + Grout", or "Cement Plug" hole plug method are chosen.
- Assumes that a) casing is not cemented entire length, b) does not include temporary surface casing
- 6. Assumes minimum 1 hr per hole for abandonment (excluding move-to and casing removal)
- 7. Assumes fixed hours per hole for setup & tear-down and moving between holes (see Productivty Sheet) per drill hole (includes rig time if grouting required, labor crew only if cuttings backfill only)

Closure Cost Estimate Exploration

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Cost Data: User Data

Cost Data File: SRCE\_Cost\_Data\_File\_1\_12\_Std\_2018.xlsm
Cost Estimate Type: Surety Cost Basis: S. Nevada Notice Level

Exploration - Cost Summary											
	Labor	Equipment	Materials	Totals							
Hole Abandonment Costs	\$383	\$132	\$12	\$527							
Trench Backfilling Costs	\$1,835	\$2,841		\$4,676							
Subtotal Earthworks	\$2,218	\$2,973	\$12	\$5,203							
Trench Revegetation Costs	\$100	\$38	\$73	\$211							
TOTALS	\$2 318	\$3,011	\$85	\$5.414							

# Exploration Trenches - Calculations Dozing & Ripping/Scarifying Calculations Dozing & Ripping/Scarifying Calculations Dozing: Dozing distance = 1/2 trench length or 400 ft (max push) whichever is less Assumes flat push (grade correction factor = 1) Revegetation: 10 ft added to trench width to account for revegetation under spoil pile

Ex	Exploration Trenches - Backfill/Regrading Costs												
Pro	Productivity = Dozer Productivity x Grade Correction x Density Correction x Operator (0.75) x Material x Visibility x Job Efficiency (0.83)												
	Description (required)  Trench Backfill Push Volume Distance Distance LCY (BCY+30%) ft yd3/hr LCY (BCY+30%) ft Backfill Push Dozer LCY (BCY+30%) ft Dozer LCY (BCY+30%) ft Dozer LCY (BCY+30%) ft Dozer LCY (BCY+30%) ft Dozer Required Dozen Productivity Material Correction Required Dozen Productivity Material Correction Required Dozen Productivity Hours Cost Cost Cost Cost Cost Cost Cost Cos									Trench Backfill			
1	Test Pit Excavations (24) 20-foot long trenches	2,196	240	184	1.00	0.79	D6R	90	25	\$1,835	\$2,841	\$4,676	
		2,196							25	\$1,835	\$2,841	\$4,676	

Ехр	Exploration Trenches - Revegetation Costs											
	Description (required)	Surface Area acres	Revegetation Labor Cost \$	Revegetation Equipment Cost \$	Revgetation Material Cost \$	Total Revegetation Cost \$						
1	Test Pit Excavations (24) 20-foot long trenches	0.20	\$100	\$38	\$73	\$211						
		0.20	\$100	\$38	\$73	\$211						

**Closure Cost Estimate** Expl. Roads & Pads

Project Name: Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project- Notice or Exploration

Date of Submittal: September 2018

File Name: 3843I.Rhyolite Ridge Notice.RCE.V2.xlsm

Model Version: Version 1.4.1

Cost Data: User Data

Exploration Roads & Pads - Cost Summary	xploration Roads & Pads - Cost Summary											
	Labor	Equipment	Materials	Totals								
Grading Costs	\$1,248	\$1,932	N/A	\$3,180								
Cover Placement Cost	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0								
Ripping/Scarifying Cost	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0								
Subtotal Earthworks	\$1,248	\$1,932		\$3,180								
Revegetation Cost	\$468	\$178	\$1,547	\$2,193								
TOTALS	\$1,716	\$2,110	\$1,547	\$5,373								

Exp	Exploration Roads & Pads - User Input  You must fill in ALL green cells and relevant blue cells in this section for each road																
	Facility Description					P	hysical (1) - I	MANDATORY					User O	verrides	(	Growth Media	а
	Description (required) ID Code			Ungraded Slope _H:1V	Cut Slope degrees	Road + Drill Pad Length ft	Road Width ft	Number of Drill Pads	Individual Sump Volume cy	Drill Pad Width ft	Drill Pad Length ft	Slope Replacement Percent %	Regrade Volume (if calculated elsewhere)	Disturbed Area (if calculated elsewhere) acres	Growth Media Thickness in	Distance to Growth Media Stockpile ft	Slope from Road to Stockpile % grade
1	Planned Drill Sites (including MW Site)		10.0	1.3	35.0	1,200	0.0	12	52	50.0	100	100%					
2	Planned Test Pit Working Area		10.0	1.3	35.0	720	0.0	24	0	30.0	30	100%					
3	Planned Overland Travel		0.0	0.0	0.0	15,100	6.0	0	0	0.0	0	0%					

- All Physical parameters must be input even if manual overrides for volume or area are used.
- Slope replacement refers to the percentage of cut volumn replaced during regrading.
   If Slope from facility to borrow source is >20, downhill travel time may be underestimated due to limitation of uphill travel time curves and downhill speed tables from CAT Handbook (see Productivty Sheet).
- 4. Sump volume will be applied to all roads on slopes <20%. On slopes >20% pad width (i.e. cut volume) should be adequate to account for sump volume.

Expl	xploration Roads & Pads - User Input (cont.)  You must fill in ALL green cells and relevant blue cells in this section for each road													
			Grad	ding		Growth Media Revegetatio				ı				
	Description (required)	Regrade Material Condition (select)	Cut Material Type (select)	Recontouring Equipment Fleet (select)	Additional Hrs for Walk-in <sup>(1)</sup>	Growth Media Material Type (select)	Growth Media Placement Equipment Fleet (select)	Maximum Fleet Size (user override)	Additional Hrs for Walk-in <sup>(1)</sup>	Seed Mix (select)	Mulch (select)	Fertilizer (select)	Scarifying/ Ripping? (select)	Ripping Fleet (select)
1	Planned Drill Sites (including MW Site)	1	LS - broken	Small Dozer	1.0					Mix 3	None	None	No	
2	Planned Test Pit Working Area	1	LS - broken	Small Dozer	1.0						None	None	No	
3	Planned Overland Travel									Mix 3	None	None	No	

- Include one-way hours necessary to walk equipment in from drop-off point to work area
   Material Types are used for density correction based on material densities in Caterpillar Performance Handbook material density table

Closure Cost Estimate Expl. Roads & Pads

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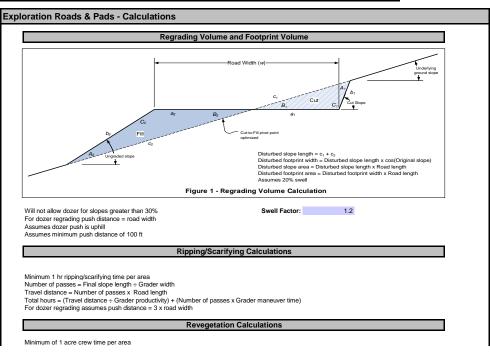
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Exploration Roads & Pads - Cost Summary	,											
	Labor	Equipment	Materials	Totals								
Grading Costs	\$1,248	\$1,932	N/A	\$3,180								
Cover Placement Cost	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0								
Ripping/Scarifying Cost	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0								
Subtotal Earthworks	\$1,248	\$1,932		\$3,180								
Revegetation Cost	\$468	\$178	\$1,547	\$2,193								
TOTALS	\$1,716	\$2,110	\$1,547	\$5,373								



Closure Cost Estimate Expl. Roads & Pads

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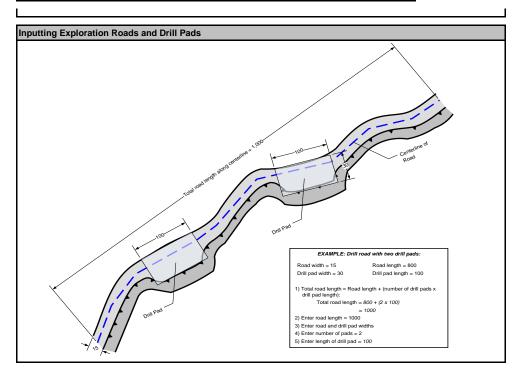
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**Closure Cost Estimate** Expl. Roads & Pads

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Cost Estimate Type: Surety Cost Basis: S. Nevada Notice Level

Exploration Roads & Pads - Cost Summary										
	Labor	Equipment	Materials	Totals						
Grading Costs	\$1,248	\$1,932	N/A	\$3,180						
Cover Placement Cost	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0						
Ripping/Scarifying Cost	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0						
Subtotal Earthworks	\$1,248	\$1,932		\$3,180						
Revegetation Cost	\$468	\$178	\$1,547	\$2,193						
TOTALS	\$1,716	\$2,110	\$1,547	\$5,373						

Expl	Exploration Roads & Pads - Regrading Costs													
	Description (required)	Total Road Length ft	Total Drill Pad Length ft	Regrading Volume cy	Recontouring Fleet	Equipment Productivity cy/hr	Total Equipment Hours <sup>(1)</sup> hr	Total Labor Cost \$	Total Equipment Cost \$	Total Regrading Cost \$				
1	Planned Drill Sites (including MW Site)	0	1,200	2,382	D6R	93	13	\$954	\$1,477	\$2,431				
2	Planned Test Pit Working Area	0	720	380	D6R	93	4	\$294	\$455	\$749				
3	Planned Overland Travel	15,100	0			Material Type!		\$0	\$0	\$0				
		15,100	1,920	2,762			17	\$1,248	\$1,932	\$3,180				

(1) Includes walk-in time based on distance and travel speed (see Productivity sheet for speeds)

Expl	Exploration Roads & Pads - Growth Media Costs												
	Description (required)	Growth Media Volume cy	Growth Media Replacement Fleet	Fleet Productivity LCY/hr	Number of Trucks/ Scrapers	Total Fleet Hours	Total Labor Cost \$	Total Equipment Cost \$	Total Growth Media Cost \$				
1	Planned Drill Sites (including MW Site)						\$0	\$0	\$0				
2	Planned Test Pit Working Area						\$0	\$0	\$0				
3	Planned Overland Travel						\$0	\$0	\$0				
				-			\$0	\$0	\$0				

Expl	Exploration Roads & Pads - Scarifying/Revegetation Costs												
	Description (required)	Surface Area acres	Ripping/ Scarifying Fleet	Ripping Hours hrs	Ripping Labor Costs \$	Ripping Equipment Cost \$	Total Ripping Costs \$	Revegetation Labor Cost \$	Revegetation Equipment Cost \$	Revgetation Material Cost \$	Total Revegetation Cost \$		
1	Planned Drill Sites (including MW Site)	1.60						\$160	\$61	\$581	\$802		
2	Planned Test Pit Working Area	0.58						\$100	\$38	\$211	\$349		
3	Planned Overland Travel	2.08						\$208	\$79	\$755	\$1,042		
		4.26			\$0	\$0	\$0	\$468	\$178	\$1,547	\$2,193		

**Closure Cost Estimate** Well Abandonment

Volume

Hole<sup>(6)</sup>

Volume

Volume

per

Labor

Equip Cost

Perf Labor

Media Labor

Cost<sup>(10)</sup>

Media Equip

Cost<sup>(9)</sup>

Total

Cost \$

Cement Material

Cost

Labor

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Well Abandonment				
	Labor	Equipment	Materials	Totals
Production, Dewatering, Infiltration Wells	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Monitoring Wells	\$383	\$132	\$3	\$518
TOTALS	\$383	\$132	\$3	\$518

Production, Dewatering, Infiltration Wells	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Monitoring Wells	\$383	\$132	\$3	\$518
TOTALS	\$383	\$132	\$3	\$518
Production, Dewatering and Infilt	ration Well	Closure		

Description (required)

(1) For previously abandoned holes enter "0" for depth
(2) Wells abandoned per Nevada Administrative Code (NAC 534.420). Hole grouted and perforated from bottom to 50 feet (15.24m) above the top of the screen, or first water encountered or original static water level, depending on vertical hydraulic gradient and well construction parameters. Inert media (cuttings or alluvium) used from top of grout to top seal.
(3) Perforation length = amount of blank casing below first water (for confined aquifers) or predicted recovered water table (unconfined aquifers) + 50 feet (15.24m) of blank casing above water table

Depth to

Pump ft bgs

Hole Plug

Casing Volume

per ft

Type of Pump (if any)

Casing

Static Water

Level

Casing<sup>(2)</sup> ft bgs

epth to Fire

Water ft bgs

**Casing Diam** 

Depth<sup>(1)</sup> ft bgs

(4) Assumes 50' (15.24m) sanitary seal at top of hole. Therefore, perforation and grouting only required to bottom of sanitary seal.

(5) Assumes 100% loss to formation for grout (abandonite) for screened and perforated sections.

(6) Assumes 20' (6m) top seal of cement in casing only. See note 4.
(7) Inert material is cuttings or alluvium sourced locally.

(8) Includes perforation tool wear cost/ft of perforation (see Productivty Sheet).

(9) See Productivity Sheet for hourly production. Minimum 1 hr per hole + fixed hours per hole for move and setup. If no perforation required, use standard drill rig.

(10) See Productivity Sheet for hourly production. Minimum 1 hr per hole.

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Мо	Monitoring Well Closure																		
	Description (required)	ID Code	Number of Holes	Casing Diam in	Average Depth ft bgs	Top of Screen <sup>(1)</sup> ft bgs	Hole Plug Method (select)	Casing Volume per ft ft3	Grout Volume/ Well <sup>(2,3)</sup> cy	Cement Volume per Hole <sup>(4)</sup>	Inert Backfill Volume per Hole <sup>(5)</sup>	Total Grouting Hours/ Hole hr	Total Inert Media Hours/ Hole hr	Grout + Cement Labor Cost <sup>(6)</sup> \$	Grout + Cement Equip Cost <sup>(6)</sup>	Grout + Cement Material Cost	Inert Material Labor Cost <sup>(7)</sup>	Inert Material Equip Cost <sup>(7)</sup>	Total Cost \$
1	GW/Piezometer Well		1	4.0	360	300	Cement PI	0.090		0.08	0.77		3.0	\$0	\$0	\$3	\$383	\$132	\$518
														\$0	\$0	\$3	\$383	\$132	\$518

Wells abandoned per NAC 534.420 with bentonite grout placed to 50 feet above the top of the screen (see note 1).

(1) Assumes top of screen is at or above the static water level (in unconfined aquifers) or the depth of first water encountered (in confined aquifers).

 (2) Assumes 25% loss to formation for grouting
 (3) Grouting only required to 50' (15.24m) above the top of screen because monitor wells are constructed with a seal in the annular space. (4) Assumes top 20' (6m) plugged with cement.

(5) Assumes hole plugged with inert material (cuttings or alluvium) above grout up to cement surface plug. (6) See Productivity Sheet for hourly production. Minimum 1 hr per hole + fixed hours per hole for move and setup (see Productivity Sheet). (7) See Productivity Sheet for hourly production. Minimum 1 hr per hole.

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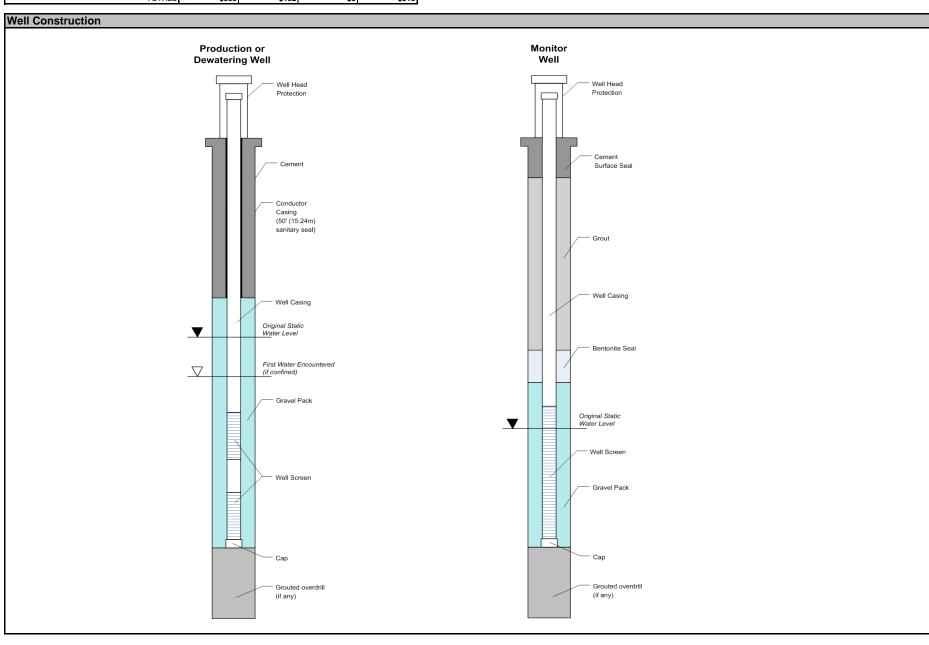
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Cost Estimate Type: Surety Cost Basis: S. Nevada Notice Level

Well Abandonment	Well Abandonment											
	Labor	Equipment	Materials	Totals								
Production, Dewatering, Infiltration Wells	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0								
Monitoring Wells	\$383	\$132	\$3	\$518								
TOTALS	\$383	\$132	\$3	\$518								



### Closure Cost Estimate Monitoring

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Cost Estimate Type: Surety Cost Basis: S. Nevada Notice Level

			Lab &	
	Labor	Equipment	Materials	Totals
Revegetation Maintenance	\$45	\$17	\$162	\$224
Erosion Maintenance	\$0	\$0	N/A	\$0
Reclamation Monitoring	\$4,100	\$485	N/A	\$4,585
Subtotal Reclamation Monitoring	\$4,145	\$502	\$162	\$4,809
Water Quality Monitoring	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
TOTAL MONITORING	\$4,145	\$502	\$162	\$4,809

Reclamation Maintenance	)							
Description	Total Revegetation Surface Area (1,2) acres	% Area Requiring Reseeding	Seed Mix (select)	Area Requiring Reseeding acres	Seed \$/acres	Labor \$/acres	Equipment \$/acres	Totals \$
Revegetation Maintenance	4	10%	Mix 3	0.4	\$363.00	\$100.00	\$38.00	
Labor Equipment Materials Cost/Acre							Subtotal	\$45 \$17 \$162 \$501 <b>\$22</b> 4

Notes: 1) Surface area is NOT the same as footprint disturbance area typically used for permitting purposes.

	Total Volume Growth Media <sup>Cy</sup>	% Volume Requiring Maintenance	Average Growth Media Placement Cost \$/CY	Volume Requiring Replacement cy	Labor (assume: 25%) \$/acres	Equipment (assume: 75%) \$/acres	Total \$
Erosion Maintenance	0		\$0.00	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0

Notes:

			Number of		
Description	Hrs/Day	Days/Year	Years	Rate \$/hr	
Field Work					
Field Geologist/Engineer				\$149.49	
Range Scientist	6	1	3	\$136.68	9
Reporting					
Field Geologist/Engineer				\$149.49	
Range Scientist	4	1	3	\$136.68	\$
		•	•		Subtotal \$
<b>Travel</b>					
	Hrs/Trip	Trips/Year	Years	Truck Cost	
	hr			\$/hr	
ravel	6	1	3	\$26.97	
					Subtotal

Notes:

### **Closure Cost Estimate Labor Rates**

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User Input - Direct Input	Direct Input							
User Input - Pull Down List	Pull Down Selection							
Program Constant (can override)	Alternate Input							
Program Calculated Value	Locked Cell - Formula or Reference							

	S. Nevada Notice	
Cost Basis/Project Region	Level	Clark, Esmeralda, Lincoln and Nye Counties
Power Equipment Operators	>60 miles	\$3.50
Truck Drivers	>70 miles	\$3.50
Laborers	>50 miles	\$3.25
NDIRECT COSTS		
Unemployment (%)	3.00%	
Retirement/SS/Medicare (%)	7.65%	
Workman's Compensation (%)	0.075	
Other Indirects		
State Payroll Tax (13),(15),(17),		
otal Other Indirects	0.00%	

HOURLY LABOR RATE	TABLE									
EQUIPMENT TYPE (1) OR JOB DESCRIPTION	Labor Group	Base Rate (\$/hr)	Zone Adjustment (\$/hr)	Hourly Wage (\$/hr)	Fringe (\$/hr)	Retirement/ Medicare (\$/hr)	Unemployment Insurance (\$/hr)	Workman's Compensation (\$/hr)	Other Indirect Costs (\$/hr)	Total (\$/hr)
<b>Equipment Operators (</b>	\$/hr) (2)									
Bulldozers										
D6R	Group 6	\$58.62	\$3.50	\$62.12	\$0.00	\$1.86	\$4.75	\$4.66	\$0.00	\$73.39
D6R w/ Winch					\$0.00					
D7R	Group 6	\$58.62	\$3.50	\$62.12	\$0.00	\$1.86	\$4.75	\$4.66	\$0.00	\$73.39
D8R	Group 6	\$58.62	\$3.50	\$62.12	\$0.00	\$1.86	\$4.75	\$4.66	\$0.00	\$73.39
D9R D10R	Group 6 Group 6	\$58.62 \$58.62	\$3.50 \$3.50	\$62.12 \$62.12	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$1.86 \$1.86	\$4.75 \$4.75	\$4.66 \$4.66	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$73.39 \$73.39
D10R D11R	Group 6	\$58.62	\$3.50	\$62.12	\$0.00	\$1.86	\$4.75	\$4.66	\$0.00	\$73.39
Wheeled Dozers		. ,	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	**	70.00	4	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<del></del>		
824G					\$0.00					
834G					\$0.00					
844					\$0.00					
854G					\$0.00					
Motor Graders										
120H	Group 10	\$58.85	\$3.50	\$62.35	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.77	\$4.68	\$0.00	\$73.67
14G/H 16G/H	Group 10 Group 10	\$58.85 \$58.85	\$3.50 \$3.50	\$62.35 \$62.35	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$1.87 \$1.87	\$4.77 \$4.77	\$4.68 \$4.68	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$73.67 \$73.67
24M	Group 10	φυο.80	φ3.50	Φ0∠.35	\$0.00	φ1.87	Ф4.77	φ4.68	φυ.υυ	\$13.01
Track Excavators					70.00					
312C	Group 12	\$59.02	\$3.50	\$62.52	\$0.00	\$1.88	\$4.78	\$4.69	\$0.00	\$73.87
320C	Group 12	\$59.02	\$3.50	\$62.52	\$0.00	\$1.88	\$4.78	\$4.69	\$0.00	\$73.87
325C	Group 12	\$59.02	\$3.50	\$62.52	\$0.00	\$1.88	\$4.78	\$4.69	\$0.00	\$73.87
330C	Group 12	\$59.02	\$3.50	\$62.52	\$0.00	\$1.88	\$4.78	\$4.69	\$0.00	\$73.87
345B	Group 12	\$59.02	\$3.50	\$62.52	\$0.00	\$1.88	\$4.78	\$4.69	\$0.00	\$73.87
365BL 385BL	Group 12	\$59.02	\$3.50	\$62.52	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$1.88	\$4.78	\$4.69	\$0.00	\$73.87
Scrapers	Gloup 12	\$59.02	\$3.50	\$62.52	\$0.00	\$1.00	\$4.70	\$4.09	\$0.00	\$13.01
631G	Group 15	\$59.23	\$3.50	\$62.73	\$0.00	\$1.88	\$4.80	\$4.70	\$0.00	\$74.12
637G	Group 15	\$59.23	\$3.50	\$62.73	\$0.00	\$1.88	\$4.80	\$4.70	\$0.00	\$74.12
Wheeled Loaders										
924G	Group 8	\$58.73	\$3.50	\$62.23	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.76	\$4.67	\$0.00	\$73.52
928G	Group 8	\$58.73	\$3.50	\$62.23	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.76	\$4.67	\$0.00	\$73.52
950G	Group 8	\$58.73	\$3.50	\$62.23	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.76	\$4.67	\$0.00	\$73.52
966G	Group 8	\$58.73	\$3.50	\$62.23	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.76	\$4.67	\$0.00	\$73.52
972G 980G	Group 8 Group 8	\$58.73 \$58.73	\$3.50 \$3.50	\$62.23 \$62.23	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$1.87 \$1.87	\$4.76 \$4.76	\$4.67 \$4.67	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$73.52 \$73.52
988G	Group 10	\$58.85	\$3.50	\$62.23	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.77	\$4.68	\$0.00	\$73.52
990	Group 10	ψ30.03	ψ0.00	ψ02.00	\$0.00	Ψ1.07	ψ4.77	ψ4.00	ψ0.00	ψ10.01
992G	Group 10	\$58.85	\$3.50	\$62.35	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.77	\$4.68	\$0.00	\$73.67
994D					\$0.00					
L2350					\$0.00					
Shovels					80.00					
PC2000 PC3000					\$0.00 \$0.00					
PC4000					\$0.00					
PC5500					\$0.00					
PC8000					\$0.00					
Hydraulic Hammers										
H-120 (fits 325)										
H-160 (fits 345)										
H-180 (fits 365/385)										
Demolition Shears										
S340 (fits 322/325/330) S365 (fits 330/345)	-									
S365 (fits 330/345) S390 (fits 365/385)	1									
Demolition Grapples										
G315 (fits 322/325)										
G320 (fits 325/330)	1									
G330 (fits 345/365)	<u> </u>									
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### **Closure Cost Estimate Labor Rates**

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Program Constant (can override)	Alternate Input						
Program Calculated Value	Locked Cell - Formula or Reference						

ZONE ADJUSTMENTS		
Cost Basis/Project Region	S. Nevada Notice Level	Clark, Esmeralda, Lincoln and Nye Counties
Power Equipment Operators	>60 miles	\$3.50
Truck Drivers	>70 miles	\$3.50
Laborers	>50 miles	\$3.25
INDIRECT COSTS		
Unemployment (%)	3.00%	
Retirement/SS/Medicare (%)	7.65%	
Workman's Compensation (%)	0.075	
Other Indirects		
State Payroll Tax (13),(15),(17),		
		]
		1
Total Other Indirects	0.00%	1

Total Other Indirects	0.00%									
HOURLY LABOR RATE	TABLE									
	IABLE									
Other Equipment										
420D 4WD Backhoe	Group 4	\$58.40	\$3.50	\$61.90	\$0.00	\$1.86	\$4.74	\$4.64	\$0.00	\$73.13
428D 4WD Backhoe	Group 4	\$58.40	\$3.50	\$61.90	\$0.00	\$1.86	\$4.74	\$4.64	\$0.00	\$73.13
CS533E Vibratory Roller	Group 4	\$58.40	\$3.50	\$61.90	\$0.00	\$1.86	\$4.74	\$4.64	\$0.00	\$73.1
CS633E Vibratory Roller					\$0.00					
CP533E Sheepsfoot Compactor					\$0.00					
CP633E Sheepsfoot Compactor					\$0.00					
Light Truck - 1.5 Ton					\$0.00					
Supervisor's Truck					\$0.00					
Flatbed Truck					\$0.00					
Air Compressor + tools	Group 1	\$55.67	\$3.50	\$59.17	\$0.00	\$1.78	\$4.53	\$4.44	\$0.00	\$69.9
Welding Equipment	Group 6	\$58.62	\$3.50	\$62.12	\$0.00	\$1.86	\$4.75	\$4.66	\$0.00	\$73.3
Heavy Duty Drill Rig	Group 2	\$56.62	\$3.50	\$60.12	\$0.00	\$1.80	\$4.60	\$4.51	\$0.00	\$71.0
Pump (plugging) Drill Rig	Group 2	\$56.62	\$3.50	\$60.12	\$0.00	\$1.80	\$4.60	\$4.51	\$0.00	\$71.0
Concrete Pump					\$0.00					
Gas Engine Vibrator	Group 6	\$58.62	\$3.50	\$62.12	\$0.00	\$1.86	\$4.75	\$4.66	\$0.00	\$73.3
Generator 5KW					\$0.00					
HDEP Welder (pipe or liner)					\$0.00					
5 Ton Crane	Group 8	\$58.73	\$3.50	\$62.23	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.76	\$4.67	\$0.00	\$73.5
20 Ton Crane	Group 8	\$58.73	\$3.50	\$62.23	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.76	\$4.67	\$0.00	\$73.5
50 Ton Crane	Group 8	\$58.73	\$3.50	\$62.23	\$0.00	\$1.87	\$4.76	\$4.67	\$0.00	\$73.52
120 Ton Crane					\$0.00					
NOTES:										
(1) Equipment Type:	Catepillar model or equival									
(2) Equipment Operator Source.	D-B NV180034 01/05/201	8								
(3) Zone Basis:	From Las Vegas City Hall									
Truck Drivers (\$/hr) (4)										
725	Group 4	\$46.62	\$3.50	\$50.12	\$0.00	\$1.50	\$3.83	\$3.76	\$0.00	\$59.2
730	Group 4	\$46.62	\$3.50	\$50.12	\$0.00	\$1.50	\$3.83	\$3.76	\$0.00	\$59.2
735	Group 4	\$46.62	\$3.50	\$50.12	\$0.00	\$1.50	\$3.83	\$3.76	\$0.00	\$59.2
740	Group 4	\$46.62	\$3.50	\$50.12	\$0.00	\$1.50	\$3.83	\$3.76	\$0.00	\$59.2
769D	Group 4	\$46.62	\$3.50	\$50.12	\$0.00	\$1.50	\$3.83	\$3.76	\$0.00	\$59.2
773E	Gloup 4	\$40.0Z	\$3.30	\$30.12	\$0.00	\$1.50	φ3.03	φ3./6	\$0.00	φ09.Z.
777D	Group 4	\$46.62	\$3.50	\$50.12	\$0.00	\$1.50	\$3.83	\$3.76	\$0.00	\$59.2
785C	Gloup 4	\$40.0Z	\$3.30	\$30.12	\$0.00	\$1.50	φ3.03	φ3./6	\$0.00	φ09.Z.
793C					\$0.00					
793C 797B					\$0.00					
613E (5,000 gal) Water Wagon	Group 3	\$46.44	\$3.50	\$49.94	\$0.00	\$1.50	\$3.82	\$3.75	\$0.00	\$59.0
621E (8,000 gal) Water Wagon	Group 3 Group 4	\$46.62	\$3.50	\$50.12	\$0.00	\$1.50	\$3.83	\$3.76	\$0.00	\$59.0
777D Water Truck	Gloup 4	\$40.0Z	\$3.30	φ30.1Z	\$0.00	\$1.50	φ3.03	φ3./6	\$0.00	φ39.Z.
785C Water Truck Dump Truck (10-12 vd3 )	Croup 2	\$46.23	\$3.50	\$49.73	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$1.49	\$3.80	\$3.73	\$0.00	\$58.7
Dump Truck (10-12 ya3)	Group 2	\$40.Z3	\$3.50	\$49.73	\$0.00	\$1.49	\$3.80	\$3./3	\$0.00	აეშ./
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(4) Truck Driver Source:	From Las Vegas City Hall	,								
(5) Zone Basis:	rium Las vegas City Hall									

### **Closure Cost Estimate Labor Rates**

Project Name: Rhyolite Ridge Exploration Project- Notice or Exploration

Date of Submittal: September 2018
File Name: 3843I.Rhyolite Ridge Notice.RCE.V2.xlsm

Model Version: Version 1.4.1 Cost Data: User Data

Color Code Key	
User Input - Direct Input	Direct Input
User Input - Pull Down List	Pull Down Selection
Program Constant (can override)	Alternate Input
Program Calculated Value	Locked Cell - Formula or Reference

ZONE ADJUSTMENTS		
Cost Basis/Project Region Power Equipment Operators	S. Nevada Notice Level >60 miles	Clark, Esmeralda, Lincoln and Nye Counties
Truck Drivers Laborers	>70 miles >70 miles >50 miles	\$3.50 \$3.50 \$3.25
INDIRECT COSTS		
Unemployment (%) Retirement/SS/Medicare (%) Workman's Compensation (%)	3.00% 7.65% 0.075	
Other Indirects		
State Payroll Tax (13),(15),(17),		
Total Other Indirects	0.00%	

Total Other Indirects	0.00%									
HOURLY LABOR RATE	TABLE									
Laborers (\$/hr) (6,7)										
General Laborer	Group 1	\$42.94	\$3.25	\$46.19	\$0.00	\$1.39	\$3.53	\$3.46	\$0.00	\$54.57
Skilled Laborer	Group 3	\$43.25	\$3.25	\$46.50	\$0.00	\$1.40	\$3.56	\$3.49	\$0.00	\$54.94
Driller's Helper	Group 2	\$43.15	\$3.25	\$46.40	\$0.00	\$1.39	\$3.55	\$3.48	\$0.00	\$54.82
Rodmen (reinforcing concrete)	Group 4	\$43.34	\$3.25	\$46.59	\$0.00	\$1.40	\$3.56	\$3.49	\$0.00	\$55.05
Cement finisher	Group 4	\$43.34	\$3.25	\$46.59	\$0.00	\$1.40	\$3.56	\$3.49	\$0.00	\$55.05
Carpenter		\$48.95	\$3.25	\$52.20	\$0.00	\$1.57	\$3.99	\$3.92	\$0.00	\$61.67
NOTES:										
(6) Laborer Source:	D-B SUNV2011-001 10/1	/2010								
(7) Carpenter Source:	D-B SUNV2011-001 10/1	/2010								
	From Las Vegas City Hall									
Project Management ar	nd Technical L	abor (\$/hr) (9	1							
Project Manager	la reciningai E	\$89.44	,	\$89.44	\$0.00	\$2.68	\$6.84	\$6.71	\$0.00	\$105.67
Foreman		\$83.81		\$83.81	\$0.00	\$2.51	\$6.41	\$6.29	\$0.00	\$99.02
Field Geologist/Engineer		\$126.53		\$126.53	\$0.00	\$3.80	\$9.68	\$9.49	\$0.00	\$149.49
Field Tech/Sampler		\$103.93		\$103.93	\$0.00	\$3.12	\$7.95	\$7.79	\$0.00	\$122.79
Range Scientist		\$115.68		\$115.68	\$0.00	\$3.47	\$8.85	\$8.68	\$0.00	\$136.68
Senior Planning Engineer		ψ113.00		ψ110.00	\$0.00	ψ5.41	ψ0.00	ψ0.00	ψ0.00	ψ100.00
Project Engineer					\$0.00					-
Mechanic/Fitter					\$0.00					
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(9) Project Manager:	R.S.Means 2018 Q2 (01									
(9) Foreman Source	R.S.Means 2018 Q2 (01									
(9) Techical Labor Source	SRK Consulting 2018 (To	tal Incl. O&P-10%) Adju	sted for Zone,Ta	ax and Ins.						
Other Labor Source										
Other Labor Source										
†Additional User Markups										
(These are added by the user to the										
base rate to account for site-specific										
conditions or corporate requirements										

PMU - Rhyolite Ridge Notice  PMU - Rhyolite Ridge Notice  Equipment  Bulldozers  D6R D7R	- Sep	Mobilization \$/hour (1)	2018	(2)				Miles fro			_	ental yard	use to project, travel time	one	way (9)		283 <b>5.1</b> 5
Equipment <b>Bulldozers</b> D6R D7R	- Sep		2018	(2)			gas,	NV				_					
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D8R	\$	150	\$	128 150	\$	128 150	\$	-	\$	25 25	\$	649	<u> </u>	\$ \$	1,933	\$ \$	3,000
D9R	\$	150	\$	150	\$	150	\$	-	\$	25	\$	649		\$	-	\$	-
D10R	\$	150	\$	150	\$	150	\$	65,940	\$	25	\$	974		\$	-	\$	-
D11R (two transports) (7)	\$	150	\$	150	\$	150	\$	139,848	\$	25	\$	649		\$	-	\$	-
Motor Graders	٦,													١.			
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Track Excavators	Ψ	120	Ψ	120	Ψ	120	Ψ	-	ڔ	23	Ψ	323		Ψ	_	Ψ	
320C	\$	128	\$	128	\$	128	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	
325C	\$	128	\$	128	\$	128	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
345B	\$	150	\$	150	\$	150	\$	-	\$	25	\$	649		\$	-	\$	-
385BL	\$	150	\$	150	\$	150	\$	46,260	\$	25	\$	649		\$	-	\$	-
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928G	\$	99	\$	99	\$	99	\$		\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
966G	\$	99	\$	99	\$	99	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
972G	\$	128	\$	128	\$	128	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
988G 992G (two transports) (7)	\$ \$	128 150	\$	128 150	\$ \$	128 150	\$	76,440	\$ \$	25 25	\$	325 649		\$ \$	-	\$	-
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H-180 (fits 365/385) no charge, mobilize with	า ( \$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
Other Equipment	٦,													١.			
420D 4WD Backhoe CS563E Vibratory Roller	\$ \$	99 99	\$ \$	99 99	\$ \$	99 99	\$ \$		\$ \$		\$	-		\$ \$	-	\$ \$	
Light Truck - 1.5 Ton	- \$	63	\$	63	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$			\$	-	\$	
Supervisor's Truck	\$	56	\$	56	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
Air Compressor + tools	\$	78	\$	78	\$	78	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
Welding Equipment	\$	78	\$	78	\$	78	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
Heavy Duty Drill Rig Pump (plugging) Drill Rig	\$ \$	392 392	\$ \$	392 392	\$ \$	-	\$	-	\$ \$	-	\$	-	1	\$ \$	2,408	\$ \$	4,816
Concrete Pump	\$	78	\$	78	\$	78	\$	_	\$		\$	-		\$	-	\$	4,010
Gas Engine Vibrator	\$	78	\$	78	\$	78	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
Generator 5KW	\$	78	\$	78	\$	78	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
HDEP Welder (pipe or liner)	\$	78	\$	78	\$	78	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
5 Ton Crane Truck 25 Ton Crane	_ \$ \$	94 135	\$ \$	94 135	\$ \$	-	\$ \$	-	\$ \$	-	\$	-		\$ \$	-	\$ \$	
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725	\$	99	\$	99	\$	99	\$		\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
740	\$	128	\$	128	\$	128	\$	-	\$	25	\$	325		\$	-	\$	-
769D	\$	128	\$	128	\$	128	\$	-	\$	25	\$	649		\$	-	\$	-
777D (two transports) (8) 613E (5,000 gal) Water Wagon	- \$ \$	150 150	\$ \$	150 150	\$ \$	150 150	\$ \$	73,452	\$ \$	25	\$	974		\$ \$	-	\$ \$	-
621E (8,000 gal) Water Wagon	\$	150	\$	150	\$	150	\$	-	\$	25	\$	649		\$	-	\$	_
Dump Truck (10-12 yd <sup>3</sup> )	\$	112	\$	112	\$	112	\$	-	\$	-	\$			\$	-	\$	-
Miscellaneous																	
Equipment for dry hole abandonment (420D 4V	_	99	\$	99	\$	99	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	-
Pilot car (Light Truck)	- \$	56 150	\$	56 150	\$	56 150	\$		\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$ \$	-
Truck Tractor + Lowbed Trailer 75 ton Truck Tractor + Flatbed Trailer 40 ton	\$ \$	150 128	\$ \$	150 128	\$ \$	150 128	\$		\$ \$	-	\$	-		\$ \$	-	\$	-
Light Truck + Flatbed Trailer 25 ton	\$	78	\$	78	\$	78	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-		\$	-	\$	
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Footnotes and explanations of assumptions  1) The sum of the cost of equipment from eith  2) Assumes minimum of 30 minutes load and  3) No "Deadhead" (empty) charge for Mob up  4) Only large equipment requires disassemily  5) Nevada Dept. of Transportation overdimer  6) Sum of mobilization plus all ancillary costs  7) Two transports are required but the second  8) Two transports required with both requiring  9) For large mining operations, mobilization in  Additional equipment may need to me  (10) Pilot Car costs based on SRCE light truck	to 50 y for to sional for on full conay be obtilized	re and 3 miles. I ransport. I permits ne way lo sport doe omplement or require the from Res and Dass a	More Income are notes are	nutes un e than 50 cludes co \$25 per d and re of need portion of pilot commore Las Veç	nsecu 0 mile ost of r trip eturn pilot o ars a than gas, o	ure and es the control f mechas or \$60 pempty. cars or nd perr one loo or Salt L	ost anic per y pern nits.	oad mach of deadhe + mechar year. nits or a h	ine. ead s nic's eavy	same ra truck + y duty tr	te as crar ailer	ne operat	or + crane. y not have	four (	531 scra	apers.	